

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Toshiyuki SAKURA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2143**

Serial No.: **09/987,017**

Examiner: **Joseph E. Avellino**

Filed: **November 13, 2001**

Confirmation No.: **6353**

For: **LINKAGE SYSTEM FOR MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS**

Attorney Docket Number: **011441**

Customer Number: **38834**

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: April 28, 2005

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	12	Minus	20	= 0
Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	8	Minus	7	= 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))				


SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE		RATE	ADDI- TIONAL FEE
X \$25		OR	X\$50	0.00
X \$100		OR	X\$200	200.00
+ \$180		OR	+ \$360	.00
TOTAL ADD'L FEE			TOTAL ADD'L FEE	200.00

✓ Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$200.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this Amendment.

✓ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

Applicants respond herein to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2004. The period for response thereto is extended by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims appear in the listing of claims that begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 13.

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